

Reject (1 Samuel 13-15)

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Memory Verse - 1 Samuel 8:7

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Just because God has appointed you to a position in a ministry or business relationship, doesn't mean that it is permanent. If you make the same mistake Saul made, you can find yourself going from being God's elect to God's reject. Today we will look at four things we need to do to prevent from being God's reject.

Tragic story of a lost opportunity

Transition from King elect to king reject

Spared Agag, ox, sheep, fatlings, lambs, all that was good.

Destroyed only the despised in their eyes.

Tried to kill his son for eating honey. **1 Samuel 14:21-49**

Monument to himself. **1 Samuel 15:12**

Samuel tore Saul's robe. **1 Samuel 15:27**

Saul offered prohibited fire.

Ichabod means inglorious.

What changes do you need to make in order to transition?

FROM God's hot seat	TO God's anointed

1. Identify and return what you need to give 'baaaaack' to God. **1 Samuel 15:14**

2. Stay small in your own eyes. **1 Samuel 15:17**

3. Take full responsibility for your swoop. **1 Samuel 15:19-21**

4. Grow or go. **1 Samuel 15:28**